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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF:

APPLICANT: HAO et al

ORDER/DOCKET NO. 4296

FOR: LIGHT-EMITTING MATERIAL AND PRODUCING METHOD THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

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Please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 8 as follows:

Claim 8, line 2, delete "or 7"

Please add new claim 9 as follows:

-- 9. A producing method of a light-emitting material according to claim 7, wherein in
said step (2), reduction is carried out using carbon powder. --